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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.56, §1.97 and §1.98, Applicant hereby discloses publications known to him which may be material to the patentability of this invention. The publications are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 and copies are enclosed. Kindly acknowledge receipt of this Statement and make the cited references of record in the subject application.

The above-cited references are submitted under § 1.97(b)(3). To Applicant's knowledge, no first Office Action on the merits has been mailed in the subject application. Thus, no fee is believed to be due for the filing of this information disclosure statement. However, should it be determined that a fee is necessary, Applicant authorizes the Commissioner to charge Applicant's deposit account No. 09-0089 in the amount necessary to permit consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement.

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